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We repspectfully beg to intimate to the Ladies of Wetaskiwin and district that our New Millinery and Mantle Showrooms on the second floor are now open. We are showing all the latest novelties in Ladies Trimmed Hats, Ready-to-wear Untrimmed Hats, Plumes, Ornaments, Flowers, etc., Children's Hats, Hoods, Capobes, etc.

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Everything is going fast. Don't be too late.

Everything below actual cost.

Hats, Caps, Underwear, Boots, Shoes, Shirts, Collars, he best in town at such ridiculous prices.

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A complete stock of NEW GOODS now on the way from the east, which, on arrival will be sold at the closest possible prices for CASH,

All goods warranted as represented.

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C. C. Bailey,
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WETASKIWIN, ALBERTA.

J. J. Gregory,
FARMERS' CANDIDATE.
In the contest in the interests of the farmer and independent electors.
Supports
GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP AND OPERATION OF THE TRANSCONTINENTAL RAILWAY.
GOVERNMENT LOANS TO FARMERS AT LOW RATE OF INTEREST.
EXTENSION OF DATE OF PRE-EMPTION.
Vote for Gregory
At The COMING Election.

Cottage to Rent.
A 7 room cottage withstable, coal shed and good well. Apply to
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You should protect yourself by taking out a Fire Insurance policy, a Life Insurance policy, and an Accident policy in the best companies, namely,
The Liverpool, London & Globe.
The Confederation Life.
The Dominion Guarantee Accide n Company.
Consult
JOHN McMANUS,
Wetaskiwin. Alta.

A Lively Session

The regular monthly meeting of the Town Council was held on Wednesday evening, October 6th. Those present were Mayor McKay and Couns. Gould, Swoboda, McEachern, Olin and Finch.

The minutes for the last regular and intervening meetings were read and adopted.

The inward correspondence was then read as follows:—

A letter from S. H. Reist offering to build a small addition to power house for $50.

J. S. Robertson making application for the position of night constable and fireman; salary $50 a month,

A petition from the W.C.T.U. asking the council to pass a by-law creating a curfew.

A letter from W. C. Brent, relinquishing his option on the purchase of the town debentures.

On motion of Coun. Olin, seconded by Coun. Finch, it was agreed that the offer of S. H. Reist to build the addition to the power house for $50 be accepted.

A discussion then took place regarding the appointment of night constable. Coun. Finch stated that about 75% of those who subscribed to pay the constable now refused to do so, and that Mr. Robertson could not be expected to continue at $20 a month. The Mayor reported that as the finances were too low, he did not see how the council could a higher appropriation. It was then moved by Coun. Swoboda—seconded by Coun. Gould, that the matter be left in the hands of the finance committee to make what arrangement they could for the balance of the year.—Carried.

The council favored the curfew idea as it had worked successfully in other towns and should be adopted here. Coun. Finch therefere gave notice of motion that at the next meeting of the council he would introduce a bylaw creating a curfew.

The plans of the cemetery, which had been prepared by Mr. McGrandle, D. L. S., were then placed before the board. On motion of McEachern—Olin—The clerk was instructed to have cemetery plans registered.—Carried.

Dr. Walker, the medical health officer, then addressed the council regarding the reports that are being circulated about the town to the effect that an epidemic of scarlet fever is in our midst. He wished to emphatically state that such was not the case. There was only one case in town and that house was properly quarantined. These reports were either malicious or heresay, but were without the least foundation. There was no occasion for the public to become alarmed, as there was no epidemic of fever in the town.

In the discussion which followed this report of the health officer the question of the sanitary condition of the creek came up. Coun. Swoboda said it was nothing short of a disgrace that this stench should be allowed to remain in the heart of the town: prospective settlers were being driven away by it, and transients were all talking about it. If an epidemic of sickness should break out, the council would be blamed, and in case of death he thought the town council could be held liable for damages. Other members of the board expressed similar views. It was then moved by Olin—Gould—That the health committee investigate the condition of the creek, and the best means to remove the nuisance, and report at a special meeting of the council. —Carried unanimously.

Accounts amounting to $2112.29 were then considered and on motion of Swoboda—Gould— were passed for payment.

The question of electric street lighting was then taken up when an interesting discussion took place, Mr. Skinner, representing the Westing House Co., addressed the council. Of the several tenders before the council, for the council for the furnishings of 16 arc lamps, the offer from the Westing House Co. for $923 and the offer of the Bullock Co. for $735 were the two selected. But in the final selection a deadlock existed on the board, and it appeared for some time as if nothing could be done. But finally on motion of Swoboda—Olin—It was agreed that the Westing House Co. tender of 16 lights be accepted, subject to the approval of Mr. Taylor and the clerk be instructed to telephone Mr. Taylor and obtain his opinion at once to the views of both the Westing House Co. and Bullock Co. lamps.

The applications for the position of first engineer for the power plant were then considered. Applications were presented from W. E. Hiest, of Edmonton; Mr. Farris, of Goderich; and Mr. Pullman, of Field, each asking $75 a month.

It was moved by Swoboda—Gould—That W. E. Heist be engaged as first engineer, at $75 a month, duties to begin Nov. 15th if required.

An amendment was moved by McEachern—Olin—That the council wait until a full board is present.

The amendment was lost, Couns. MacEachern and Olin voting aye; and Couns. Swoboda, Gould, Finch, nay. The motion was then put and carried, the vote being:—Aye—Couns. Swoboda, Gould and Finch; nay—Couns. McEachern and Olin.

On motion of Finch—Gould—The fire water and light committee was instructed to purchase a small coal stove for the clerk's office.—Carried.

The contract for the erection of the smoke stack, signed by Hughes & Anderson, was then presented and duly signed by the mayor, chairman public works, and clerk.

The clerk reported that a cheque for $9.00 issued about two years ago in favor of E. E. Chandler being refund for fire extinguishers was lost, it not having been presented for payment. On motion of Olin—Finch—The clerk was authorized to issue duplicate cheque.

Meeting then adjourned

Wetaskiwin Fair Postponed

Owing to the inclemency of the weather, the Wetaskiwin Agricultural Society's Fall Fair has been postponed until Friday, October 21st.

A GRAND
Conservative Rally
will be held in the **Liberal Conservative Committee Rooms, on**
PEARCE STREET, WETASKIWIN,
formerly Mrs. Aylwin's Restaurant, on
Tuesday, Oct. 11
at 8 p. m.
O. Bush, the Conservative Candidate will be present.
All Conservatives are requested to attend.

Communications

We do not necessarily endorse the sentiments advanced by this or any other correspondent.

Editor of the Wetaskiwin Times.

Sir,

If you will kindly insert the following probably it will be of some service viz:—Now that threshing has commenced it will save a lot of unpleasantness and probably unseemly brawls if engager and engaged make one another understood about wages at the start, for it is the usual thing at the end of the threshing when pay time arrives, for some farmers to find fault with the hired hands, and to deduct something substantial from their none too large pay. Last year was no exception, 25c a day in some cases being kept back, but according to rumor the victims of last year will turn upon their oppressors if this thievish game is tried on again. However, should the pay offered be less than stipulated, I would suggest it would be far wiser for any and all so served to refuse to take anything but their proper amount, which if not forthcoming they should then obtain a summons against the oppressor and get judgement with costs in a legal manner. By this manner will be shown up who is who, and will nip the mean dishonesty of those who ought and do know better than to cheat the hard worker of his due. Last year at one place not only was part of a man's money kept from him but he was assaulted and his head finally knocked through a looking glass because he continued to ask for his money due. Now the sooner such proceedings are nipped in the bud and the assaulters made to know they must not take lynch law in this country the better for everybody. To move the hands of the clock forward in the morning and back before leaving off time was bad enough without deduction of money, a bumped head and a damaged eye.

P. S.—This is not fiction, they are facts, stubborn facts, and can be proved if need be.

Yours truly,
Pro Bono Publico

Another Industry Coming.

Messrs. A. McEachern and John Brawley, of Gould City, Mich., who have been in this section of the country for some time, left for home this week. They were so favorably impressed with the Wetaskiwin district that they each filed on a homestead and purchased a section of C. P. R. In addition to this they filed a tender for twenty-one sections of timbered land near Pigeon Lake. If successful in securing this area—and no doubt they will be—they purpose installing a large saw mill and pulp mills on the banks of Pigeon Lake next spring, and will commence the manufacture of paper. This information will be hailed with delight by the newspaper fraternity of the west, as it will then enable them to procure their printing paper almost as cheaply as it can be purchased in the east, and in addition the large freight bills and the uncertainty in the delivery of stock will be avoided. Both these gentlemen are practical business men of long experience, and affirm that they never before saw such an excellent timber limit as they are endeavoring to purchase. Mr. McEachern says the people of the west do not realize the great opportunities right here in their midst awaiting development, and wonders that many of them were not taken advantage of before. Both Mr. McEachern and Mr. Brawley will return in the spring, accompanied by their families, and no doubt many of their neighbors will be in the party. Wetaskiwin is always pleased to welcome men with the energy and enterprise of Mr. McEachern and Mr. Brawley, and extends to them the glad hand.

Wetaskiwin Public School Report

The following is the report of the Wetaskiwin Public School for September.

Div.	Enrollment	Average	Percentage
I	18	15.83	87.94
II	44	36.4	82.73
III	39	32.5	83.3
IV	46	39.52	85.91
V	46	38.4	83.4
VI	41	32.61	79,53

HONOR ROLL

The following were neither late nor absent during the past month.

Div 1.—Myrtle Newsted, Walter Carruthers.

P. H. Thibaudeau,
Principal.

Div. II.—No. on roll, 44; average attendance, 36.4; percentage attendance, 82.73.

HONOR ROLL

Flora Facey, Alta Satterlee, Norman MacEachern, Gordon Kennedy. Willie Smith, Gustof Utas, Eddie Lake, Mabel Ronn, Fronces Vopat, Reggie Wilkins, John Roraff, Charlie Utas.

K. Burgar
Teacher

Div. III.—No. on roll, 39; average attendance, 32.5; percentage attendance, 83.3.

HONOR ROLL

Gladys Compton, Lewis Ronnie, Richard Wedin, Ina Finch, Elsie Satterlee, Annie Roraff.

E. M. Morson
Teacher

Div. IV.—No. on roll, 46; average attendance, 39.523; percentage attendance, 85.91.

HONOR ROLL

Tina Radau, Ella Olstad, Charlie Compton, Tilley Size, Harry Peterson, Jack Richardson, Victoria Waterson, Bertha Kraemer, Francis Smith, Helmer Mattson, Oluf Olstad.

C. B. Brown
Teacher

Div. V.—No. on roll, 46; average attendance, 38.4; percentage attendance 83.4.

HONOR ROLL

Erabell Finch, Joseph Bergh, Orlo Robinson, Mary Kedlec, Dorothy Brodie, Louis Anderson, Vera Vancamp, Chester Churchill, Abner Mattson, Annie Waterson, Mildred Bethel, Lillie Anderson, Sigrid Lomness, Christian Shuntz.

B. M. Beairsto
Teacher

Div. VI.—No. on roll, 41; average attendance, 32.61; percentage attendance, 79.53.

HONOR ROLL

Urith Burgar, Minnie Schontrick, Ruby Ambler, Helen Campbell, Warren Haggard, Gladys Wolverton, Olga Olin, Ada Stromsen, Hulda Erickson,

J. C. Major
Teacher

*It is no guess work with us, we test the eyes scientifically and our statements are positive. Cull the optician.

*If you are going to have an auction sale and want your stock sold to advantage, C. W. S. Harkness is the auctioneer. Office 1 door east Queen's Hotel. 20-tf

Wetaskiwin Market

Thursday, October, 6 1904.

Wheat	0 40 to	0 95
Oats	0 25	0 25
Malting Barley	0 30	0 30
Butter, per lb	0 0	0 15
Eggs, per doz	0 20	0 20
Flour, Blizzard, cwt,	2 00	2 00
" Bakers, cwt.	2 85	2 85
NorthernPatent,cwt	3 10	3 10
Best Patent, per cwt	3 25	3 25
Bran, per ton	17 00	17 00
Shorts, per ton	20 00	20 00
Chop, per ton	22 00	22 00
Hay, per ton	6 00	6 00
Beef	2 50	3 00
Pork	4 50	4 50

Weather Bulletin.

The following table gives the maximum and minimum temperatures for the past week as shown by J. H. alker's government thermometer. The report is taken at 8 a.m. each day and includes [illegible] of this week:—

	MAX	MIN.
Thursday	65	33
Friday	52	40
Saturday	69	45
Sunday	49	85
Monday	49	41
Tuesday	39	32
Wednesday	39	24

Girl Wanted
Good servant, at once. Five in family; $12 a month. Apply at
28-tfn THE TIMES OFFICE

Wanted
Good servant girl, at once, good wages. Apply to
28-3tn MRS. E. D. H. WILKINS

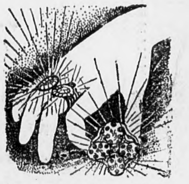
Lost
Pocket-book in or near Millet, containing a large sum of money. Finder leave same at the store of Ira J. Grant, Millet, and receive liberal reward.
28-1tn MADAME A. WATTS

For Sale or Trade
Yoke well-broken oxen with harness complete. Will trade for a team of ponies.
28-4tn ALBERT WATTS Millet

For Sale
20 head of horses, mostly mares, weighing from 700 to 1100 lbs., to be sold at once. Apply to PETER JOHNSON, Lewisville P.O. 2t

O. BUSH
The Liberal Conservative Candidate
will address the electors in
Angus Hall, Wetaskiwin,
ON
Monday, Oct. 17th
at 7 o'clock p. m.
All are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

Imperial Bank
OF CANADA
Head Office - - Toronto
Capital Authorized, $4,000,000
Capital Paid Up - $3,000,000
Rest - - - $2,850,000
BRANCHES
Northwest and British Columbia
Brandon, Calgary, Cranbrook, Edmonton, Ferguson, Golden, Nelson, Portage la Prairie, Prince Albert, Regina, Revelstoke, Rosthern, Strathcona, Vancouver, Victoria, Wetaskiwin and Winnipeg.
Savings Bank Dept.—Deposits of $1 and upwards received and interest allowed.
Debentures—Provincial, Municipa and other debentures purchased
Drafts bought and sold.
General banking business transacted
Agents in Great Britain—Lloyd's Bank, Ltd., 72 Lombard st., London, with whom money may be deposited for transfer by letter or cable to any of the branches.
J. H. D. BENSON,
Manager, Wetaskiwin Branch



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GREAT BARGAIN IN CATTLE
About 200 Head Surplus Stock to be Sold at a Snap
Parties wishing to start ranching will do well to see these before buying elsewhere, as the stock is all well-bred Shorthorn, and cannot be beaten in the country.
TERMS—Either cash or time.
CAMILLE DAVID,
6-44-18 Ferry Point

Auction Sale
—OF—
Land
Stock and Implements
The undersigned has received instructions to sell by public auction on
N. W. 1-4 22-47-24
2 miles south-east of Millet
—ON—
Saturday Oct. 15
at one o'clock sharp the following:
HORSES—6 pony mares 3 to 7 years; 3 mare colts, 1 year old; 1 horse colt. 1 years old; 1 spring horse colt. CATTLE—1 bull, 3 years old; 8 cows, 3 to 7 years old; 1 heifer, 18 months old; 1 heifer, 1 year old; 5 spring calves; 6 sheep; 1 boar, 1 year old; 1 sow, 1 year old; a number of chickens. IMPLEMENTS—1 Jones Mower, 1 14 inch stubble plow and other farm implements.
The N. W. ¼ 22-47-24 and the N. E. ¼ 21-47-24 will also be sold. Sealed offers on land will be received by auctioneer up to 10 o'clock on day of sale. For terms and all information apply to the undersigned, on the premises, or to the auctioneer at Millet. Land will be sold to highest bidder on day of sale. This is a des[illegible] tract for investors.
TERMS OF SALE.—$10 and under cash, on credit amounts until December 1st will be given at 8 per cent. interest per annum by furnishing joint lien or bankable notes.
No article to be removed from place of sale until settled for.
JOHN WHITE, Proprietor 28-2
J. K. GRAY, Auctioneer.

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WE HAVE THEM.

Heaters from $2.50 to $40.00 and 125 to choose from

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It's a skimmer from A to Z,

It will pay you a handsome profit to invest in an Empire. Call and see us.

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6 1904.

Wetaskiwin Fire Brigade

The fire last Friday morning was a test of the efficiency of the Wetaskiwin Fire Brigade. As several weeks have elapsed since the Brigade had a practise, the citizens, and apparently the firemen themselves, were of the opinion that the brigade was a thoroughly organized and potent body, ready to promptly cope with any conflagration that might arise at any hour of the day or night. But when their services were required early Friday morning, much to the astonishment of the citizens, their efficiency was found wanting. The boys turned out with the greatest alacrity, but the fact that over half an hour elapsed between the first alarm and the time water was turned onto the blaze, shows that something was seriously wrong. No blame can be attached to the apparatus, as steam was up in the engine in a very few minutes, and the new hose should cause no trouble. The brigade is therefore to blame for any trouble or delay in laying or coupling the hose. Had the proper precautions been taken at the last practise, surely no such difficulty would have arisen as was experienced Friday last. Where the blame rests we do not know, but the fact that one coupling or one length of hose was at fault does not amend the case. The entire business portion of the town was endangered Friday morning, and there is no credit due the brigade that it was not destroyed. Had there been the slightest breeze, despite the noble efforts the noble efforts of the volunteer bucket brigade and the effective work of the Victor extinguishers, a repetition of Wetaskiwin's disastrous fire of sixteen months ago would doubtless have been the inevitable result. Wetaskiwin has the very best fire-fighting appliances that can be procured, but that is of no avail if not properly and expeditiously manipalated. Seconds lost at the beginning of a conflagration might result in the destruction of thousands of dollars' worth of property, therefore the brigade cannot become too efficient, nor should they be content with the few pracises they have had. The business men of the town and the town council have been generous in their tangible support to the brigade, and as a reciprocation they expect the very best service. This service can only be rendered by constant and united rehersals. The boys deserve credit for the interest they have manifested in the organization, but past accomplishments should not be sufficient.

Now that we have the appliances the insurance rates in town should be reduced, This can only be accomplished by attaining a high degree of proficiency and passing a satisfactory test of the Underwriters' Association. Representatives from this Association may arrive in town any day, when a test will be made with a view to the lowering of the present exorbitant rates. If it takes half an hour to threw a stream of water when these officials are here, the rate will certainly not be reduced for some time to come,

Boys, keep practising. Perfection is only accomplished by practise and perfection should be the motto of every member of the Wetaskiwin Fire Brigade.

Dominion Election Nov. 3

The dissolution of the Dominion Parliament took place at six o'clock Thursday last. Nominations will take place on October 27, and polling on Thursday, November 3, a week later.

The campaign will thus not be a long one. All the arrangements for the contest have been completed. The returning officers have been selected and the writs have prepared and are ready to be forwarded. Advices in the hands of the government are that wherever the Liberal candidates have not been selected, it is because there was a desire in these constituencies to know the date of the Elections first, the men being ready to be placed in the field. There are considerable more Liberals nominated than Conservatives. Of course there are over fifty more Liberals in the House than Conservatives. There were 213 members of parliament in the House which has just been dissolved and there will be 214 in the new House.

As result of the redistribution of seats following upon the census, Ontario will have 86 seats instead of 92, Nova Scotia 18 instead of 20, New Brunswick 13 instead of 14, and Prince Edward Island 4 instead of 5. The ten seats so obtained go to the West. Manitoba gets 10 instead of 7, the Territories 10 instead of 4, and British Columbia 7 instead of 6.

The last parliament was elected on November 7, 1900, and it has therefore been dissolved a year ahead of time. This has been found to be necessary because of the redistribution of seats bill which has changed the representations of the different provinces, except Quebec, which always remains the same with its 65 members, and the government furthur desires the approval by the public of its railway policy before beginning the actual construction of the new transcontiuental railway. This will be the leading issue.

The writs are made to be returned by December 15.

TEMPERANCE COLUMN

Conducted by the W.C.T.U.

Why the Cigarette Habit is Growing

It might be of interest and profit to dig below the surface of the inquiry, "what perversity of nature influences a boy to enter the ranks of the cigarette users?"

From a thousand sources comes the answer, "He smokes with the notion that it makes him more manly." In general, he is aware the public considers the habit the privilege of an adult. In his eyes it is part of a man's estate.

But why the cigatette more than some other preparation of the weed?

1st—It rarely makes him sick when first used; the cigar, pipe or plug would.

2nd—It leaves so slight an odor on breath and clothing, it is only detected when suspicion is already aroused. He can smoke and deceive those about him.

3rd—It is less than one-tenth the price. Any urchin with five cents can buy a package containing a dozen

4th—The manufacturers, with a special view to boy customers, offer alluring inducements, Buttons with vile mottoes inscribed on them; pictures of actresses, pugilists, etc., are contained in the packages, and to those who make collections of these and forward to the firms sending them out, larger photos and other presents are promised.

You Have Indigestion

And conclude of cource that the stomach is at fault. So it is, but there is a cause away back of the stomach that must be reached before the stomach can be made to do its work. The couse is nerve disturbance or nerve debility. First get the nerves in shape and then the Stomach will do right also. Ferrozone has accomplished this for thousands of people whose digestion was completly gone. Ferrozone is food for the nerves and works wonders in stomach trouble. Where digestion, appetite and assimilation are faulty just try Ferrozone. It cures thoroughly. Price 50c, at druggists.

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Ogilvie's Flour makes your children healthy and happy, what is good for the children is good for yourself.

One sack of Glengora Patent and you will use no other. It is a little cheaper than mostly any kind and a litile better than them all. Try a sack.

All kinds of new evaporated fruit Peaches, Pears, Plums, Prunes, Raisins' Apples and Appricots, at hard time prices.

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Breakfast Cocoa in 1 lb. prckages 25c.

Heather Bell Tea 45c a lb. or 5 lbs. for $2, put up in lead packages and tin cannisters. The best that grows.

1 only, Barrel Churn, the last one always sold at $6, our price 4.90.

4 boxes Axle Grease 25cc.

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Have you seen our line of Turkish Rugs? If you have'nt you are missing some of the good things, made in 4 sizes.

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A good long leather boot, heavy sole and honest all through, special $2.50.

The Fur Coats are all in and selling very fast, we can fit you out with a fur coat from $13.50 to $85.00, we have them at any price you want.

Sheep Skin Lined Coats in four different qualities, all made by the best makers, $6 sonnds cheap but we have one at that price.

BUTTER AND EGGS TAKEN IN EXCHANGE.

McLaughlin, Sharpe & Price,

Telephone 18.

Who Can Vote At Elections

There is much confusion among newcomers as to the qualifications of voters in the Northwest Territories.

The voting is very simple in the Territories.

Every British subject who has been in the Territories 12 months, and in the Strathcona riding for three months can appear polling day at the polling booth in the district in which he resides and demand a ballot and can vote.

This means that there is no registration, voters' lists or anything of that kind.

Science and Art.

Lessons in Drawing, Water Color and Oils, also Machine Drawing and Steam and Steam Engine. For terms apply to

Alex Smith,
WETASKIWIN.

Cattle Wanted

Highest price paid for an unlimited number of cattle. Either

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WETASKIWIN.

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6 1904.

War News

St. Petersburg, Oct. 4.—A dispatch from Gen. Sakharoff announces the Japanese sixteen miles from Mukden where he is strengthing Feng Tiapu.

Mukden, Oct. 4.—The Japanese are active westward of here. The Russian cavalry is in splendid condition. The principal anxiety is the whereabouts of Oyama's right. The Russian scouts have lost tract of Kuroki's main army which may give increasing importance to the flanking movement west under Oku, whitherto has been regarded as a feint for the new turning movement to strick at Kuropatkin's line of communications. A surprise is evidently in store for the Russians and indications point to a retirement to Tai Pass.

Chefoo, Oct. 4.—The Chinese state the effect of the Russian shells and machine guns at Port Arthur was terrible. The slopes of the high hills were littered with dead. Five hundred bodies were found in one trench. The garrison's supply of tinned meats has given out and 30 donkeys are daily slaughtered.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 4.—The Novoski, speaking in a less hostile tone of the proposal to re-assemble the Hague conference, sees no immediate prospect that anything will be accomplished should the conference be again assembled, but adds: "The present war is a terrible object lesson to the people of the world and, though nothing can prevent its being forth to a finish, the people of all nations are sick of booodshed and slaughted and doubtless hereafter any country will think long before drawing the sword. Any suggestion for peace thereafter ought to be welcomed; and perhaps the nations at no distant future will be able to realize through the instrumentality of the Hague that universal disarment, which was the emperor's motive in assembling the tribunal, will be adopted."

Anxious for Land

Mr. W. N. Bennett, Canadian government agent at Omaha, Nebraska, says: "The outlook for immigration this fall is better than it has ever been. The movement in the last six weeks has surpassed the movement in 1903. Understand that this movement I speak of is towards Canadian territory. Owing to the presidential election in the United States, and the world's fair at St. Louis, and several Indian reserves being opened to settlement by the United States government, this has attracted a large percentage of home-seekers that we had expected to move to move to Canada. For the Rose Bud Indian reserve of 2,400 sections there were 106,000 applications filed. These lands being situated in Uncle Sam's dominions, had the effect of curtailing the sales of Canadian lands. However I am confident that within the next few weeks I will be able to book hundreds of settlers for Manitoba and the Northwest.

A Sweetly Pretty Picture

"The Princess at work," is the title of one the most beautiful pictures ever before the Canadian people. Great credit is Due to the Family Herald and Weekly Star, of Montreal, for having secured such a gem for their subscribers this season. We understand they have put the price of two or three pictures which they have been in the habit of giving in previous into one really good picture, and there is no doubt about the wisdom of their decision. "The Princess at Work," is certainly a gem. A year's subscription to such a paper with such a picture included is certainly a big dollars' worth.

A Progress Number

While the regular features are not neglected, the October Canadian Magazine is a Progress Number. A perusal of the articles specially bearing on the great advances made by Canada in recent years will rekindle enthusiasm in the thirty-seven years since consideration, with special reference to the growth during the census period 1891-1901. As the census volumes are not yet issued, this is the first broad view of its results which has yet been given to the public. Bella Coola, the Norwegian colony in British Columbia, is taken as typical of the Western settlements and his histroy will be found most intesesting. "The Progress of Higher Education for Woman" by Hilda D. Oakeley is a splendid feature. Mr. Archibald Blue compares the profits made by farmers with those made by manufactures, while A. L. McCredie contrasts the earning power of the farmer with that the fisherman.

Among the general features of the issue are Mr. Bradley's beautiful description of "The Death of Wolfe:" Mr. Wicher's illuminating pictures of Japanese social and religions life; Mr. Ewan's illustrated summary of Current Events Abroad; and short stories by Guy de Maupassant, William Holloway and Eloise Day. The coloured folding map and the coloured frontispice add much to the value of the 140th issue of The Canadian Magazine.

The Value of the Various Grades of Wheat

During the past summer, the Territorial Department of Agriculture has had under way a very interesting investigation of the value of the different grades of wheats. Many farmers think that there is too wide a spread in the money value placed on the various grades and that the lower grades are nearly as valuable for milling purposes as the higher ones. In order to determine if there was any truth in this, the department secured eight bushel samples of wheats grown in the Wolseley and Sintaluta districts, and sent them to Winnipeg, where they were graded by Mr. David Horn, then forwarded to Professor Robert Harcourt, Chemist of the Ontario Agricultural College, for analysis. Samples of these wheats were analyzed, then each lot was ground separately, careful note being made of the amount of flour and offal obtained from each. The resultant flours were analyzed seperately and then three baking tests were made from each lot at different dates. This work being practically completed, the department is now preparing a bulletin a bulletin giving the results obtained. This will be issued shortly and sent to all persons making application for it.

This week sample loaves made from the flour of the different grades, were received at the department and carefully examined both by departmental officials and experienced bakers of the city. Although five days old the bread arrived in excellent condition. The loaves from the better grades of where very much alike—an exceedingly creditable lot—showing that evidently there in very little difference in the strength of the flour made from the different grades. The most surprising loaf in the lot was that made from a sample of seed wheat, which, while a little darker in color than those made from the better grades, yet was a very good loaf of bread and a great surprise to all who saw it. Another interesting loaf was that made from No 4 wheat, this also was a little dark in color, still it was a loaf such as many would be very glad to get.

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Frank Bottorff returned from Wetaskiwin last week.

A daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Borgstrom recently. We are glad to see the population increase so rapidly.

E. W. Nordgren took a flying trip to the city last Saturday.

A good many of the young people intend to go to B. C. this fall for awhile.

John H. Berg, of New Sweden, was here a week ago Sunday on his way home from Meeting Creek.

W. J. McNamara, of Wetaskiwin, was here last Monday auctioneering.

J. P. Johnson is in the district getting subscribers for "Canada" the Winnipeg paper and also selling goods to the merchants. Mr. Johnson is quite a traveller.

Mrs. C. T. Kezar left for Chicago, Ill., a couple of weeks ago.

Threshing has now commenced in this vicinity.

Edborg

Although the weather has not been at all favorable to the harvester, yet some have already succeeded in saving all their grain and there in the early morn may be heard the shrill whistle of the engine calling the threshers from their slumbers to prepare for their daily duties.

A hunting party commanded by E. Edstrom left last Saturday for Buffalo Lake where they intend remaining some days to wage war on chickens, ducks, geese or whatever comes in their way.

C. Melin, of Edensville, passed through here last Monday on his way to B. C. where he intends residing for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Carlson have the sincere sympathy of the community in their recent bereavement—the loss of their youngest daughter.

A very pleasing event which caused two hearts to beat as one took place here Monday, Sept. 26, when Emy Sikstrom and Arvid Mollar were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by Rev C. M. Nodtvedt. Only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties were present to witness the ceremony. To Mr. and Mrs. Mollar we extend our heartiest congratulations.

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The transfer of the Lewisville postoffice from W. A. Robertson, resigned to J. G. Gibbon, was also announced.

Montreal, Oct. 4.—Mr. Tye, chief engineer, C. P. R. returned home Saturday evening from his trip west. He said: "The most important improvement in the engineering department just now is the reduction of grades between Swift Current and Moose Jaw and between Winnipeg and Fort William. This work had been of the highest importance and the grades have been reduced from fifty feet to twenty feet per mile, or more than half. The effect of that is to double the haulage capacity of the engines."

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CATCHING AN EDITION.

A Reporter's Efforts to Get His Story on the Wire.

News of the blowing up and sinking of a steamboat on the Ohio river reached the office of a Pittsburg paper one evening some years ago. The city editor sent a young reporter out on a search for the facts. The search developed into an adventure such as any newspaper man may tumble into at any hour of the day or night. World's Work tells the story:

He hurried to the station and caught the first westward bound express. When the train had started, he learned that it did not stop within sixty miles of his destination.

A cautious hint from a Pullman porter apprised him of the presence of a division superintendent on the train, and in a few minutes he received an order from the conductor to stop the train for him.

Reaching the station late at night, he asked the telegraph operator to remain until he returned. Then he walked several miles, got his "story" and hurried back to the station, only to find that the operator had disregarded his request and closed the office.

Time was creeping into the morning hours and he had the prospect of all his work coming to naught unless he secured an operator to get the story to his newspaper office. He tramped about the dark village and found that the operator lived several miles away. Unsympathizing country folk could not be induced to rouse themselves.

Thinking hard, the young reporter walked back and forth on the platform of the station. Huddled against the station he saw the sleeping form of a tramp. He kicked the hobo and offered him $5 to make the trip for the operator.

The man got to his feet.

"Do you want an operator?"

"Yes."

"Well, I'm a bum, but I was an operator. If you can get into that station, I'll send your stuff, but I won't touch a door or a window myself."

Knowing that the newspaper would gladly pay damages, the reporter took a cudgel, broke the window and clambered in. The tramp clicked off the story, and it reached the office in time to go to press.

CARE OF THE SICK.

The Trained Nurse Habit and One Grave Point It Involves.

A writer in the Saturday Review contends that wives and mothers have too much given up a precious service in surrendering the sickroom, even in trivial cases, to the trained nurse. He says: "We have to face the fact that, while there is great gain in trained and paid nursing, there is also a loss of something else, and the point to be settled is whether this loss is beneficial to all parties concerned. Personally I doubt it. So far, indeed, as the slighter ailments are concerned, I believe—and I know many doctors will bear me out—that the growing habit of sending at once, whenever possible, for skilled shoulders on which to lay every tittle of responsibility cannot fail to weaken a woman's motherhood or loosen the tie of her wifehood.

"This is strong language, I know, but the subject deserves it. The nursing of the sick is something that no woman can afford to leave out of her life altogether without detriment to her own character. Let her call in skilled aid by all means should she be unfit for the technical part of the work, but that does not exonerate her from other work quite as important, for, without being a Christian Scientist, I assert that no reasonable person who has studied the marvelous influence of mind can doubt that the mental atmosphere in which we happen to be does affect the body."

The Nun's Headdress.

Very few persons, says a French paper, know the origin of the headdress which so many nuns wear and which hides so much of their faces. It was formerly the custom for convents to send nuns to the various cities and towns for the purpose of collecting alms, and, as a rule, two nuns, one old and the other young, went to each place. They wore small caps and were popularly known as "Swallows of Lent."

On a certain Ash Wednesday two of them succeeded in obtaining admission to the king's palace in Paris, and, though the monarch and his courtiers were at dinner, they did not hesitate to solicit alms from them. One of the nuns was very pretty, and the young nobles who were feasting cast such bold glances at her that she blushed with shame, whereupon the king rose from the table and, taking his napkin, folded it in two and placed it on her head in such a manner that it concealed her blushes. Ever since that day, it is said, this kind of headdress has been worn by nuns.

Names.

"Here in America," said a Philadelphia artist who has traveled extensively, "we call a boy Johnnie if we don't know what his name is. It's curious to note the variations of this custom. In the far west the name is shortened to Jack, and it is applied to any stranger indiscriminately. On the other hand, we always call a Chinaman John. When I was studying in Paris, I was impressed by the fact that to the Parisian every foreigner is either Jack or Jacques, according to the pronunciation of the native who uses the term. I spent one winter in Havana, where I found that the Cubans apply the name Charlie to all Americans and Englishmen. In Mexico if a man's name is not known he is called Pedro. In our own southern states I have noticed that the colored waiters in the hotels are invariably called George. I think it would be interesting to know how these customs originated."

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In the Supreme Court of the Northwest Territories, Northern Alberta Judicil District. In the matter of the goodsand estate of Pierre Carmel de Lavasseur, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to an order of the honorable Mr. Justice Scott dated the 9th day of September 1904, that persons having claims against the estate of the said Pierre Carmel de Lavasseur who died on or about the 20th day of December A.D. 1894, are required to send by post prepaid or to deliver to Mathew Evanson O'Brien, of Wetaskiwin, Alberta, Advocate for the Executor on or before the 1st day of November, A.D., 1904, their names, addresses and descriptions and a full statement of particulars of their claims and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them duly certified and that after the said day the executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice.

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20-9 WETASKIWIN

The Local Improvement and School Assessment Ordinance

Notice is hereby given that, under the provisions of The Local Improvement Ordinance and of The School Assessment Ordinance, the Honorable Mr. Justice Scott has appointed Tuesday the fifteenth day of November, 1904, at eleven o'clock a. m., at the Court Room in the Town of Edmonton for the holding of a Court for confirmation of the returns made under the provisions of Section 6 of The Local Improvement Ordinance in respect of the following Local Improvement Districts, viz.,

Local Improvement Districts Nos., 9, 20, 21, 23, 24, 25, 26, 28, 29, 30, 31, 33, 35, 39, 43, 44, 45, 48, 51, 52, 55, 68, 69, 73, 77, 159, 192, 218, 222, 223, 228, 230, 235, 237, 240, 241, 255, 327, 328, 400, 401, 403, 404, 405, 406, 427, 428, 429, 430, 432, 433, 435, 437, 438, 450, 451, 454, 458, 459, 461, 464, 465, 470, 476, 482, 485, 489, 490, 491, 510, 519, 542, 545, and of Section 19 of The School Assessment Ordinance in respect of the following School Districts' viz.,

School Districts Nos., 2 R. C., 4, 5, 24, 29 R. C. P., 34, 41 R. C. P., 42 R. C. P., 44 R. C. P., 47 R. C. P., 212, 234, 246, 266, 280, 287, 293, 296, 298, 305, 314, 345, 350, 351, 352, 355, 367, 369, 370, 371, 376, 383, 392, 399, 399, 400, 401, 405, 407, 408, 412, 416, 421, 427, 429, 434, 438, 439, 446, 452, 453, 463, 475, 481, 482, 486, 488, 514, 521, 524, 525, 529, 530, 532, 550, 555, 557, 562, 564, 565, 571, 581, 585, 611, 622, 627, 641, 651, 659, 660, 663, 665, 667, 688, 690, 702, 720, 740, 741, 831.

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"Has it ever occurred to you who are the real gardeners of the forest?" asked an old friend of the High Park squirrels, as reported in The Toronto Globe. "I never heard a theory propounded that animals plant trees, but from what I have observed during ten years of friendship with the park squirrels I am satisfied they, and not the acorn, are father to the oak. Whether a squirrel plants trees impelled by instinct I am not prepared to say. Their industry may be explained by a less far-fetched theory. Observe any squirrel during nutting time and see how busy he is in laying in a stock of provisions for winter. Bushels and bushels of acorns and nuts are gathered by the little fellows and stored in the hollows of trees and in other accessible nooks. When these are filled the squirrel buries his treasures in the ground. Busily, like a streak of lightning, he whisks about under oaks, picking acorns and burying them in the ground in a thousand and one spots. From sunrise to sunset he and his mates are busy storing away the precious winter supply.

"The buried nuts are the first consumed by the wise little animal, who knows a time will come soon when the ground will be frozen hard and covered with snow, after which the supply tucked away in tree hollows must be depended upon. Doubtless many of the acorns buried by the little planter are forgotten. Others are covered under snow before he has a chance to dig them out. In either case, an acorn has been planted as delicately as if by hand of man, and only the thaw of the ground and the warm spring sunshine are needed to coax forth the oak.

"What takes place in the park doubtless happens in woods and forests all over the globe. Frequently, gardening experts say, young nut trees are found peeping out of the ground in early spring too far from any parent tree to account for wind having borne the heavy kernel on its wings. Similarly, exterminate the squirrels in any section of woods and the tree planting practically ceases. It is a well-known fact that seeds of plants frequently become lodged in the furs of wild animals only to be shaken off and to take root at some point far distant. But the planter-squirrel, I think, I discovered myself.

"It is a wonderful thing when you come to consider what part the tiny, bushy-tailed animals may have played in the history of our country. Perhaps the majestic ships that plough the seas—maybe even the old, famous men-of-war—owe their existence primarily to the little paws of the soft-furred, soft-eyed little animals."

Regina, Oct. 4.—Premier Haultain laid on the table the estimates for the current year which provide for an expenditure of $101,540 as against $89,860. They will be considered by the committee of supply on Wednesday.

1904 Crop Report

The Commissioner of Agriculture has just issued a bulletin dealing with the condition of the crops of the Territories at harvest time.

In the eastern part of the Territories the condition indicated in the July bulletin has not been uniformly maintained owing to the unfavorable weather conditions which delayed ripening in some districts and rendered some of the later crops susceptible to damage by frosts. To a small extent the presence of rust on wheat, especially in the heavier and later portion of that crop in some places in the eastern part of the Territories, is also factor in the situation, but the damage to the wheat crop of the Territories from this cause is not at all serious.

In that portion of the country laying north of Calgary along the line of the Calgary and Edmonton Railway reports are on the whole favorable, the conditions of all crops having distinctly improved since the date of the last bulletin, and where good seed has been used the yield promises to be heavy.

In Southern Alberta the yield, on account of the continued drought, will be very light, except where irrigation has been properly made use of during the growing season.

Taking everything into consideration the condition of the crops at harvest time is satisfactory and points to a yield per acre well up to the average with a larger proportion of grain of good quality than last year.

The Edmonton, Strathcona and Wetaskiwin districts have an area of 48,236 square miles, and comprises the country adjacent to the C. P. R line of railway from Wetaskiwin north and the settlements along the Saskatchewan Valley, also a large tract of unsettled territory.

The weather conditions, compared with last year, are as follows: Last year the mean daily temperature was 47.9 in April-June, and 58.9 in July-August, as compared with 51.3 in April June and 58.0 in July-August this year.

The total precipitation in inches last year was: April-June, 6.30; July-August, 7.99; compared with 5.45 in April-June, and 3.11 in July-August, this year. The weather in this dictrict since July has been warm with occasional showers. Slight frost occurred in the northwestern part of the district in July. There was a rather severe and extensive hailstorm in the country north of Edmonton on August 17th.

The agricultural conditions this year are much superior to last. The spring wheat area last year was 33,634 acres, with a total yield of 556,081 bushels; this year the estimated area is 36,907 acres, with a crop expectation of 741,000 bushels.

Last year the fall wheat area was 294 acres, with a yield of 3410 bushels; this year the estimated area is 323 acres with a crop expectation of 4,500 bushels.

The oat crop area last year was 90,899 acres with a total yield of 2,700,956 bushels; the estimated area this year is 114,552 acres with a crop expectation of 3.914,000 bushels.

The barley crop area last year was 25,293 acres with a total yield of 625,864 bushels; the estimated area this year is 47,792 acres with a crop expectation of 1,035,000 bushels.

The flax crop area last year was 523 acres with a yield of 4,193 bushels; the estimated area this year is 575 acres with a crop expectation of 4,500 bushels.

The present condition of the crops compared with the corresponding period last year in per cent is as follows:—Spring wheat 121; fall wheat 120; oats 115; barley 113; flax 100.

Danger from frost is not considered serious, and crops are being harvested in good condition and are expected to show a very satisfactory yield. There is no rust in the district. Harvest commenced August 22nd and was practically completed by the first week of September. Threshing will start about the end of the month.

The Red Deer, Lacombe and Ponoka districts have an area of 13,608 square miles, comprising the country adjacent to the C. P. Railway line from Red Deer to Wetaskiwin and westward to the Rockies.

The weather conditions compared with last year are as follows:—Last year the mean daily temperature in April-June was 47.1 and 60.5 in July-August, as compared with 48.2 in April-June and 58.9 in July-August this year. The total precipitation last year in April-June was 6.78, in July-August 10,19, compared with 5.47 in April-June and 2.81 in July-August this year.

The spring wheat crop area last year was 1,640 acres with a yield of 30,687 bushels. The estimated area this year is 3,280 acres with a crop expectation of 76,000 bushels. The fall wheat crop area last year was 24 acres with a yield of 467 bushels; the estimated area this year is 48 acres with a crop expectation of 1000 bushels.

The oat crop area last year was 3,600 acres with a yield of 792,630 bushels; the estimated area this year is 26,907 acres with a crop expection of 1,144,500 bushels.

The barley crop area last year was ,940 acres with a yield of 183,111 bushels; the estimated area this year is 9,681 acres with a crop expectation of 358,000 bushels.

The flax crop area last year was 11 acres with a yield of 84 bushels; the estimated area this year is 12 acres with a crop expectation of 100 bushels.

The present condition of the crops compared with last year, in per cent, is as follows:—Spring wheat, 122; fall wheat, 110; oats, 152; barley, 120 flax, 100.

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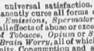

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6 1904.

Town Topics.

*Cull the optician.

A Salvation Army lassie was in town this week soliciting subscriptions

Mrs. R. A. Green of Blackfalls was renewing acquaintances in the town the first of the week.

Miss Annie Noren left on Tuesday morning for Calgary where she will reside in the future,

Supreme Court will meet here on November 8th for criminal cases, and November 16th for civil cases.

*Minto Cigars just received at Driard Cigar store and Pool Room are recognized as best 3 for 25 cigars. Try them. 7-32

J. B. Holden of Leduc has been appointed returning officer for the Strathcona Constituency for the forthcoming election.

Stephen Swoboda, of the Leduc branch of the Merchants Bank, is in town spending his vacation. He returns north on Monday.

*The Liberal Conservative Committee Rooms, formerly Mrs. Aylwin's Restaurant, are now open for the use of all Conservatives.—28-4t

E. D. H. Benson, manager of this branch of the Imperial Bank, made a business trip to Edmonton Tuesday evening, returning Wednesday morning.

Mr. Bolton, who has conducted a barber shop in town the past summer, left this week for Salt Lake City, where he will reside in future. He was accompanied by his wife and family.

The Times job printing plant has just been augmented by several new lines of type and a new press. This makes our plant thoroughly equipped for good job printing. Give us a trial when in need of anything in our line,

James Murray, B.S.A., of Winnipeg, western superintendent of the Canadian Seed Growers' Association, is in town this week. His mission is to urge the farmers to sow clean seed, thereby elevating the standard of the grain grown in the west.

*Regular horse sale will be held at the Stock Yards, Calgary, on Friday Oct. 14th, at 10 A. M. The entries comprise 150 horses, work horses, unbroken range horses and 80 good chunky cow ponies. Full particulars from Alberta Stock Yards Co, Calgary.

Roy Camfield, Wetaskiwin's clever musical compositor, has just placed on sale another of his compositions, entitled "Rough Rider" a two step. A few weeks ago Mr. Camfield offered for sale "The Orient" which has obtained great popularity with the public. These numbers may be had at Stephenson's Bookstore.

On the evening of Sunday, Oct. 23rd. a Union Meeting in the interest of the Lord'sDay Alliance will be held in Angus hall at 7.30 o'clock. In order that this union may be affected, all the churches have decided to declare off their evening services. Rev, J. G. Shearer, field secretary for the Alliance will address the meeting on the subject "What we have, we hold."

Rev. Mr. Collins, a recent graduate of Belfast College, Ireland, conducted the services in an acceptable and profitable manner morning and evening in the Presbyterian church, Mr. Collins takes up the work of the Angus Ridge Mission field. Mr. Jackson, who has had charge of that field for the summer, having been transferred to Rodger's Pass, B.C,

Montreal, Oct. 4.—Mr. Tye, chief engineer, C. P. R. returned home Saturday evening from his trip west, He said; "The most important improvement in the engineering department just now is the reduction of grades between Swift Current and Moose Jaw and between Winnipeg and Fort William. This work had been of the highest importance and the grades have been reduced from fifty feet to twenty feet per mile, or more than half, The effect of that is to double the haulage capacity of the engines."

T. Atkinson of nhe Queens Hotel returned home on Monday from his business trip to Winnipeg.

W. L. McGillivray left on Monday's train for Strathcona, where he has secured a lucrative situation.

The Misses Gould, who has been visiting friends in Fernie, Nelson and other places in B. C., arrived home last Thursday.

Mrs. Frank Bearisto went to Calgary on Tuesday to attend the Territorial W. C. T. U. Convention, held there on Wednesday and Thursday. She is a delegate f.om the society here.

What might have been a very serious fire broke out early Friday morning in the rear of The Times office. Fortunately the blaze was prevented from spreading and only a few dollars damage was done.

*Ask for Adams Transfer.

Mr. Sharman, of Souris, Man., one of the best known stockmen of the west, arrived in town Wednesday evening to act as judge at the fair. Unfortunately it will be impossible for him to be here on October 21st.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will hold another of their excellent concerts in Angus Hall, on the evening of October 21st. In addition to the leading home talent, the Misses Webster, of Edmonton, will assist with the programme. Don't forget the date.

The Buchanan Stock Co. is this week playing in Angus Hall to good houses. Space will not permit us to elaborate on the good performances of the troupe. The fact that each succeeding night find a larger crowd present than the evening before is evidence that the company is being well received. The company has now become popular with Wetaskiwinites and should they return to town will be received with good audiences.

*Have you ordered Adams' coal?

The organization meeting of the Wetaskiwin Cutling Club was held last Friday evening in the town hall. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year;—President, W, Carruthers; vice president, A, R. Dickson; secretary, G. B. Henwood; treasurer R. J. Dinning; executive committee, Messrs Fowler, Gayfer and Dr. Robertson, The meeting adjourned until Tuesday evening when arrangements were made with Mr. Willows for the rink for the season.

*Lethbridge coal T. L. Adams'

*Old newspapers for sale at The Times office.

Geo. B. Henwood made a professional trip to Edmonton Tuesday evening, returning next morning.

Miss White, who has been visiting relations and friends in Ontario returned to town on Friday's train.

Mr. Brown recently from Glasgow, Scotland, has accepted a situation as clerk in Compton & Montgomerys store.

*Benjamin has just received a new supply of Minto and Roosevelt Cigars at 8 for 25c. They are the best. Try them. 7-32

Soanes Bros had the formal opening of their bakery last Friday evening. Ice cream was served free, and the rooms were tastily decorated.

*See Cull's add about children's eyes in another column. Does your child complain about not seeing the blackboard plainly, or does reading give a headache. Consult our optician, he can tell you if the trouble is in the eyes.

Died

GUNN—In Wetaskiwin, on the 1st inst., Nellie Maud Gunn, aged 10 years, 0 months.

HENDY.—At Lewisville, on the 29th ult., Anice Mary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hendy, aged 3 months and 16 days.

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Live and Dressed Chickens and Dressed Ducks.

Also highest price paid for Eggs.

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Parlor and Bedroom Suites, Chiffoniers, Dining and Fancy Tables, Iron and Wood Beds, Parlor, Dining and Kitchen Chairs, Bureaus, Sideboards, Washstands 15 per cent. off all Furniture except chairs for one week.

Groceries
FIVE ROSES FLOUR

We had two car loads of Flour before the rise in price. Get our prices in quantities.

Hardware

Stoves, Heaters, Ranges, all kinds at right prices.

Guns, Rifles and Ammunition.

Full lines of Domestic and Builders' Hardware.

Fall's Best Offering

Mr. R. E. Mason, who arrived here from Winnipeg last week to take charge of our Boot and Shoe Department, has ever since been engaged in looking over our Immense Stock. He has found many broken and odd lines of Boots and Shoes of all grades and descriptions. These lines we are now offering at the liberal discount of 20 per cent. Remember this is the crowd-drawing opportunity, and "the early bird gets the worm.

For One Week Only

Clothing

We offer the following reductions in Clothing.

Men's Suits, regular $6.50 now 4.95.

This is a good weight and makes a good cold weather suit.

Men's Black Trousers, nice goods and big range, regular price $2.50 **now $1.75.**

Odd Vests, plain and fancy, regular prices $1 and $1.25, your choice **for 75c.**

Boys Pants, about 200 pairs to clear at a discount of **20 per cent.**

Dry Goods

Note our Reductions in Comforters.

Regular $2.65, line size 60x72, now $1.75.
Regular $1.50, line size 60x72, now $1.10.
Regular $1.34. line size, 60x72, now 96c.

Children's Eyes . .

During the Next Two Weeks we will Give

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Notice to Ladies' of Wetaskiwin and Surrounding District

Call at Mrs. A. E. Knapp's for your Fall and Winter Millinery. I have the finest assortment of fall and winter millinery ever put on exhibition west of Winnipeg at prices lower than have ever been offered in Wetaskiwin before, you can save your money by buying your hats from me where you can have them made and trimmed by an experienced milliner.

I have a splendid assortment of Ladies' and Children's Winter Coats and Caps. Just arrived and at prices that cannot be beat. These goods are for sale and are marked away down.

A fine assortment of Skirts all styles and prices.
A full line of Corsets, Underskirts and Drawers.
Ladies' and Children's Wool Vests.
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Silk Ends, all sizes and patterns for waists,
The latest things in Belts and Neckwear,
Silk Lined Kid Gloves, all styles and color.
I carry everything in ladies' and children's wear, all new and up-to-date, at prices cut away down to suit everybody.
Butter and Eggs taken at highest prices.
Dress and Mantle Making Parlors in connection.

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